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MEETING, BONN, JULY 26-27: FOLLOW-UP ON TERRORISM

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1. REFTEL DISCUSSED FRENCH POSITION ON BELGIAN DRAFT
TRANSFERRING COUNCIL OF EUROPE RESOLUTION ON TERRORISM
TO THE EC CONTEXT. IT CONCLUDED BY STATING THAT GERMAN
EC PRESIDENCY OFFICER STABREIT HAD NO KNOWLEDGE OF THE
IRISH POSITION.

2. WE HAD AN OPPORTUNITY TO TALK WITH IRISH MFA
POLITICAL DIRECTOR NOEL DORR ON ANOTHER SUBJECT AND
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RAISED THE QUESTION OF THE IRISH POSITION. THE IRISH
GOVERNMENT IS "AT LEAST AS STRONG" ON TERRORISM AS ITS
EC PARTNERS BUT IT HAS A CONSTITUTIONAL PROBLEM ON
EXTRADITION OF TERRORISTS WHICH STEMS FROM "THE
TROUBLES" IN NORTHERN IRELAND. THE IRISH ATTEMPTED
WITHOUT SUCCESS TO AMEND THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE DRAFT
TO READ "TRY OR EXTRADITE". THE BELGIAN DRAFT (REFTEL)

HAS HAD INSERTED IN IT THE OPTION TO BRING TO TRIAL
LOCALLY IN ADDITION TO THE OPTION OF EXTRADITION. DORR
SAID THAT SO LONG AS THE TEXT GIVES AN OPTION TO "TRY
OR EXTRADITE," THE IRISH GOVERNMENT IS SATISFIED THAT ITS
OWN CONSTITUTIONAL REQUIREMENTS ARE MET. DORR ADDED:
"THIS DRAFT IS ONE WE CAN SIGN AND WILL SIGN". SHANNON

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